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Applicant requests permission to amend FIG. 2 in this application to make it consistent with the textual description in the specification. Enclosed is a photocopy of FIG. 2 as originally filed, with the proposed change shown in red ink. Also enclosed is a clean copy of the amended FIG. 2 for use by the draftsman should the proposed drawing amendment be found acceptable. Each of the revisions is supported in the original disclosure, and no new material is introduced. Approval of this request is respectfully requested.

Applicant also submits two other sheets of formal drawings, consisting of FIG. 1 and FIG 3, in the above-named application.

Examiner's approval of the entry of these drawings is respectfully requested. No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

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